

Application No. 09/626,820  
Amendment

Customer No. 01933

R E M A R K S

The Examiner is thanked for conducting a series of telephone interviews on April 19, 2005.

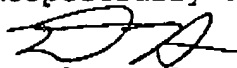
The claims have been amended along the lines suggested by the Examiner to clarify the features of the present invention whereby objects of the first type are collected and stored first (before objects of the second type are collected), and whereby the objects of the first type can be transmitted even while objects of the second type are still being collected.

No new matter has been added, and it is respectfully submitted that the amended claims are now in condition for immediate allowance.

Accordingly, entry of this Amendment, allowance of the claims and the passing of this application to issue are respectfully solicited.

If the Examiner has any comments, questions, objections or recommendations, the Examiner is invited to telephone the undersigned for prompt action.

Respectfully submitted,

  
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